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Commander Munroe currently serves as Deputy Sector Commander, U.S. Coast Guard Sector Western Alaska and U.S. Arctic on Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson (JBER), Alaska. As the Deputy, he assists the Sector Commander in planning, organizing and leading the Sector. Within the Sector's area of responsibility, the Deputy serves as the Acting Sector Commander in the Sector Commander's absence, responsible for Coast Guard mission objectives accomplished, unified Coast Guard command presence, senior advisor, and safety officer duties.

Commander Munroe's previous assignments include the Maritime Security and Law Enforcement Branch Chief, for the J59 Counter-Narcotics & Transnational Threats Program at United States Africa Command headquartered in Stuttgart, Germany; Executive Officer for Maritime Force Protection Unit Bangor in Silverdale, Washington; Chief of International Fisheries Enforcement for the Arctic Coast Guard District in Juneau, Alaska; Command Center Chief for Sector North Carolina in Wilmington, North Carolina; Command Duty Officer and Operations Unit Controller for Rescue Coordination Center Juneau in Juneau, Alaska; Lead Maritime Law Enforcement Director for the International Training and Advisory Mission in Umm Qasr, Iraq; Maritime Law Enforcement / Force Protection Deployable Team Leader for Maritime Safety and Security Team Anchorage in Anchorage, Alaska; and Auxiliary Engineering Officer onboard USCGC MELLON (WHEC 717), home ported in Seattle, Washington.

Commander Munroe is from Talent, Oregon and graduated from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering and received his commission in 2005. He is married to the former Jenna Hilles of Raleigh, North Carolina and has two children, Lilli Mae (11), and Jakin (9).

His personal awards include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, three Coast Guard Commendation Medals, the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal, the Joint Service Achievement Medal, two Iraqi Campaign Medals, the Arctic Service Medal and other unit and service awards. He is authorized to wear the Tactical Law Enforcement Insignia, the Advanced Boat Forces Operations Insignia, and the Response Operations Ashore Insignia.

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